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TO : Chief, PPS/TR

DATE: 17 May 1956

25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

FROM : Chief, LETS/TR

SUBJECT: Weekly Activities Report

A. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

None to report.

B. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. No courses are being planned in connection with the "unusual languages" program we offered to develop and conduct during the summer in order to provide Agency-wide opportunity for instruction in languages not frequently taught. In response to our offer, nominations [redacted] totaled our minimum of four persons and only for [redacted] did they total three. Preparatory to making final plans for instruction in these two languages, nominating offices were asked to confirm their figures, and only one person of those nominated continued to be available.

2. Our telephones this week are kept unusually busy by persons who read about the language incentive awards program in last Sunday's Star.

3. All papers necessary to support the nomination of Edward R. Saunders, Comptroller, were sent to the Director, Harvard Advanced Management Program on 14 May. Candidates for the program were interviewed by the Agency Career Council on 10 May, and the Council's recommended principal candidate for attendance at the Thirtieth Session was approved by DDCI on 12 May.

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4. [redacted] advised Personnel of the requirement to initiate a [redacted] request for their Armed Forces Staff College candidate.

5. The first meeting of the [redacted] Class was held on Monday, 14 May. The members are: [redacted]

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6. On 9 May, 37 people attended the lecture on "Pictorial Survey of the East European Lands Today" given by [redacted] This concludes the Orientation Lecture Series on the Soviet's European Satellites and Yugoslavia.

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7. Attendance at the R&S movies last week was as follows; Japanese film - 18; English film "Peoples of the Soviet Union" - 55; Russian film - 45; Russian film - 35.

8. A Lecture Series in Foreign Languages has been arranged; an announcement is being distributed. The lectures will be in Italian, German, Spanish, French, Russian, and an Oriental language, and will begin 23 ^{May} 25X1.

25X1 9. [] advises that a two-month, full-time intermediate, intensive [] course will begin on 2 July and end 31 August.

25X1 10. Current enrollment in internal language training programs is [] in class and [] in self-study. During the past week, the language laboratory was used for a total of [] hours.
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